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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: K. TAKAHASHI, et al.  
Serial No.: 09/414,520  
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For: PLASMA PROCESSING APPARATUS AND A PLASMA  
PROCESSING METHOD  
Group: 1763  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 19, 2003

Sir:

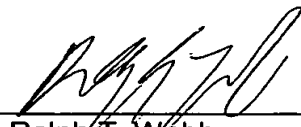
In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within a two-month time period subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed January 6, 2003. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$410.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (520.37698CX1) and any excess fees credited to that account.

Respectfully submitted,

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